Official Announcement of the Fremier's Retirement in Official Messenger.

nouncement of Count Witte's retirement from the premiership, the retirement of M. Durnovo from the ministry of the interior, and M. Goremykin's elevation to the premiership appeared today in the Official Messenger. The names of the other members of the new cabinet were not gazetted. It is asserted that one or two are hesitating, notably M. Izvolsky, curator of the St. Petersburg high schools and university, who has been named for foreign minister, knowing full well that the cabinet is a make-shift power to let Witte and Durnovo down. The usual rescripts do not contain the slightest suggestion of the emperor's displeasure. On the contrary, the rescript to Witte puls the motives for his retirement in the best possible light, accepting the excuse of ill possible light, accepting the excuse of ill health at its face value.

Witte Decorated.

The whole tone of the rescript is extraordinarily cordial and beside it confers on Witte the Order of Alexander. Nevsky. set in brilliants. It is the second highest decoration in Russia. Witte also retains his title of count, and is appointed a member of the council of the empire, or upper house of the new parliament, and remains a secretary of state. Durnovo, in giving up the ministry of the interior, becomes a secretary of state, retains the dignity of senator, and is made a member of the council of the empire. In his farewell rescript to Witte under today's date, the emperor says:

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"In consequence of the state of your arduous labors, you have been obliged to ask to be relieved of the functions of president of the council of ministers. When I summoned you to this important post for the purpose of carrying out my intentions in regard to inviting my subjects to partake in the legislative work, I was convinced that your proved capacity is a statesman would facilitate the new reseverance and enlighter. When I summoned you to this important post for the purpose of carrying out my intentions in regard to inviting my subjects to partake in the legislative work. I was convinced that your proved capacity as a statesman would facilitate the new electoral institutions. Thanks to your perseverance and enlightened action, these institutions have now been called into existence and are ready to be opened despite the opposition of the revolutionists against whom you have displayed your usual energy and decision. At the same time you were able on account of your experience in financial questions to cooperate in placing the resources of the state on a sound footing by assuring the success of the new boan. In acceding to your request to be relieved of your function, I cannot but express to you my heartfelt gratitude for the many services you have rendered.

"Your ever well disposed and sincerely grateful," NICHOLAS."

Gratitude to Durnovo.

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St. Mark's cathedral, third Sunday after Easter, Very Rev. Benjamin Brewster, dean; Rev. Alfred George, priest in charge.—Holy communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; First German Evangelleal Lutheran, St. John's charled Sunday after William J. Lankow, pastor.—Services at Unity and School, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.;

Another rescript of the emperor conveys his sincere gratitude to Durnovo for his "useful and patriotic services" when the enemies of public order were striving to disturb the "peaceful course of public life," and assured the retiring minister that he continues to be well disposed toward him.

The members of both houses of the legislature have received invitations to attend the ceremony at the Winter palace. May 10, at which the emperor will be present on the occasion of the opening of parliament. Despite the government's evident lesire to prevent the explosion of popular expressions by making a scape-goat of the Witte cabinet, in holding it responsible for the repression of the last few months, and the friendly assurances involved in the withdrawal of the funivolved in the withdrawal of the legister and Eleventh South, Rev. B. Wish and E tremely suspicious, not believing it to be a sincere change of heart, as the cabinet seemingly will contain men like M. Stishinsky, the assistant of the late Von Plehve, who is held to be responsible for the oppression of the provincial authorities, and Prince Shirinsky Shakematoff, the assistant of the former procurator general of the holy synod Pobednostseff. Even the Noboe Vremya says it is useless to attempt to claim that M. Goremykin is more liberal than Witte.

The paper expresses the belief that Witte is only temporarily eclipsed, and says the country cannot afford to dispense with the services of a man of his

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## WORKING IN THE DARK.

## Dominant Party In Russia Being Secretly Directed.

St. Petersburg, May 5.—At today's session of the convention of constitutional democrats the radical wing protested violently against the attempt of the moderates, who control the central committee ates, who control the central committee of the party, to secretly direct the tactics to be followed in parliament. The members of the Volga provinces and South Russia made particularly inflammatory speeches, insisting that the party should play with hands above board and not adopt half-way measures.

Bodenye, a member from Yaroslav, declared that parliament must legalize the revolution.

Every radical sentiment was applauded, but the indications are that in the end the moderates, who comprise nearly all the leaders, will gain a victory.

## The Bismarck

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leasure in showing our representative through the State street premises, having over two acres floor space, and judging from the immense stock of implements, vehicles and farm machinery the title, "Leading Implement Dealers," is justly deserved.

Rambler Touring car 5817 was sold to Thatcher and Emise of Logan yesterday by Mr. Langton. This is the car with a record of 13,000 miles.

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Baptist, corner Second South and Second West streets, Rev. D. A. Brown, pastor.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; communion and reception of members at morning service; Sunday school at 12:30, F. L. Evans, superintendent; B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m., leader, Miss Anna Thurston; topic, "Among the Wheat or the Tares, Where Am 1?" A welcome to all

Choir Director C. O. Harris has returned from a four weeks' visit to various eastern cities and the choir of the First Bap-RESCRIPT OF THE EMPEROR

Tist church will render Gounod's "Send Out Thy Light" at the morning service.

At the evening service Sudds "How Beautiful Are the Mountains" will be given by the full choir.

ILL HEALTH ASSIGNED AS THE South, between Ninth and Tenth West streets.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., George Paul, superintendent.

St. Petersburg, May 5.—The official announcement of Count Witte's retirement from the premierable.

Burlington Mission chapel, corner Indiana avenue and Navajo street.—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m., Henry Jacobs, superintendent.

First Methodist Episcopal, corner of Second South and Second East streets, Benjamin Young, pastor.—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; morning topic, "Enthusiasm;" evening subject, "Opportunity;" Epworth League at 7 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. All are cordially invited to these services.

St. John's chapel, Richmond avenue, near Ninth East street.—Sunday school at 2.45 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon by Rev. Benjamin L. Ancell of Soochow. China, 4 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

## Presbyterian.

day school services at 12:30 p. m.; En-deavor services at 6:30. Special invita-tion and welcome to all young people. Mid-week services Wednesday evening;

teachers' meeting at 7:30; prayer and conference at 8 o'clock.

A recital, "'Way Down South in Dixle," will be given by Mrs. William Igleheart under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid at the church, Friday night, May 11. It is a foregone conclusion that the entertainment will be a success. A hearty and cordial welcome to all these services.

Phillips Congregational church, Fifth South and Seventh East, Rev. P. A Simpkin, pastor.—Services this day at 11 and 7:45; sacramental service at the morning hour. At the evening service the pastor will preach on "The Necessity for Orthodoxy." Sunday school at 12:15 p. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Cordial welcome to all worshipers.

## Christian.

Central Christian, corner Third East and Fourth South streets, Rev. William Ross Lloyd, pastor.—Preaching morning and evening by pastor, William Ross Lloyd; morning service, 11 o'clock; evening service, 8 o'clock; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m.; prayer service Wednesday, 8 p. m. Cordial invitation extended to all.

## Scientist.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 336 First Church of Christ, Scientist, 336
East Third South street.—Sunday school
at 9:45 a. m.; church services at 11 a. m.
and 8 p. m., subject, "Mortals and Immortals." Strangers are especially welcome. Each Wednesday evening at 8
o'clock a meeting is held to listen to the
testimony of healing of both sin and sickness. All are welcome to these services.
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m. to 5 p. m. in rooms 607-608 Scott building, 168 Main street. Take elevator.

Second Church of Christ Scientist, O. O. F. hall, corner of Eleventh East and Eleventh South streets.—Lesson sermon at 11:05 a. m., subject, "Mortals and Immortals." Sunday school at 12:15 p. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

Swedish Lutheran, corner Second South and Fourth East streets, Emanuel Ryd-berg, pastor.—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 okclock, led by Oscar Anderson; evening service at 8 o'clock, sermon by Rev. O. A. Elmquist of Ogden. Pastor is in Colorado.

Tuesday evening, choir practice; Thursday evening at 8:30, Luther League, led by Charles Palm.

Our Savior's Evangelical Lutheran, Fourth East, between Fourth and Fifth South streets.—Sunday services at 10:37 a.m. in the English language. You are cordially invited to attend.

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